

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. NO. 2878-01
BILL NO. HB 1576
SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles
TYPE: Original
DATE: February 17, 2000

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety, Office of Prosecution Services**, and the **Office of State Courts Administrator** assumed the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on their agencies.

Officials from the **Office of State Public Defender** assume they could provide representation for those 10-25 cases arising where indigent persons were charged with failure to change lanes when an emergency vehicle is stopped. However passage of more than one similar bill would require the State Public Defender System to request increased appropriations to cover cumulative cost of representing the indigent accused in the additional cases.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
	0	0	0
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
	0	0	0

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact on small businesses would be expected due to this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation requires drivers to drive to a position, at least one lane away, when approaching a stationary emergency vehicle displaying at least one lighted lamp exhibiting red or a flashing blue light on a highway with four or more lanes.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program, and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Public Safety
Office of State Courts Administrator
Office of Prosecution Services
Office of State Public Defender

NOT RESPONDING: Office of Attorney General

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeanne Jarrett". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive script for the rest of the name.

Jeanne Jarrett, CPA
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February 17, 2000